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## NOTICE TAX PAYERS!

Please come in and pay your taxes. After January 1st, 1915, I will be compelled to force collections. Pay now and save cost.

**A. T. BEARD, Sheriff Breckinridge County**

### MEETING BEGINS AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Next Sunday--Series of Services  
Will Be Held By Home Pastor  
New Song Books

#### MUSIC BY A CHORUS CHOIR

The meeting at the Cloverport Baptist church will begin next Sunday and continue three weeks. Announcement folders containing a partial list of subjects have been distributed to all the families of the community. A large attendance is expected during the meeting.



PASTOR E. O. COTTRELL

The building has been put in good repair and made invitingly attractive; the new Monarch furnace has sufficient capacity to heat the building when fired properly and the electric lights are the latest thing in church lighting.

New song books will be used and a chorus choir will be organized for the meeting.

It is desired that all the singers of the town regardless of church or creed will join the chorus and assist in the music. It is hoped to make the singing specially attractive, with solos, duets, quartet and chorus numbers and good congregational singing. The pastor will do the preaching and will discuss the fundamental gospel themes, having in mind the twofold object of the enlistment of the membership in the Master's service and of reaching the unsaved.

This is the first time in the ten years service that Brother Cottrell has conducted his own meeting; heretofore he secured outside help and what he considered the best help available. But for the financial stringency and other reasons he felt it best to conduct this meeting himself.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lay announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Zelma Lay, to Claude C. Pence, on Wednesday, Dec. 30, 1914, at Stephensport, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Pence will be at home after March 1, 1915, at Westville, Ohio.

#### Jas. McGovern Sees the Need of Rural Schools

James McGovern, of Free, Ky., was in town Saturday. He teaches at Richard's school house in Hancock county. His average daily attendance has dropped from 28 to 16. This is on account of the cold weather. "The roads are so bad too, and the children's shoes are almost worn out now," says Mr. McGovern.

Shoes play an important part in the rural school attendance. Walking is hard on them and sometimes a child has to stay at home two or three days until the father can go to town and get him new shoes. If a child is warmly clad the weather and walking does not hurt him. These are some of Mr. McGovern's observations in teaching school.

#### Many Compliments of the Season Appreciated

The Breckenridge News has received a beautiful calendar from the Bank of Hardinsburg and Trust Co., with complimentary calendars have also been received from the McQuady Milling Co., Barksdale Hamlett, the state superintendent of Public Instruction, and the Irvington Hardware Co. and a thermometer from Irvington Milling Co.

Try a want ad. Today

### Church Etiquette.

Printed By Request.

As long as there are churches there will be a church etiquette, and very many who would not think for a moment of offending at a social function, do not seem at all concerned when attending a sacred service. The following rules form a good foundation:

1. If possible, be on time. You need at least five minutes, after coming, to get warm or cool, to compose your body and mind, and to whisper a prayer before the service begins.
2. Never pass up aisle during prayer or Scripture reading. If you do your presence will distract the minds of many in the audience.
3. Be devout in every attitude. All whispering should be studiously avoided. Find the hymn and sing it if you can. Share the book with your neighbor.
4. If the sermon has begun, take a seat near the door, no matter if you are "at home."
5. Be thoughtful for the comforts of others. Take the inside of the pew if you are the first to enter, and leave all vacant space at the end next to the aisle.
6. Speak a bright, cheery word to as many as possible at the close of the service. If you are a stranger ask one of the ushers to introduce you to the pastor or to some of the officers of the church. This will always insure you a hearty welcome.
7. Never put on your overcoat, overshoes, or wraps during the closing hymn, and do not make a rush for the door immediately after benediction is pronounced. There should be no loud talking and jesting after the service is concluded. They are as much out of place in the house of God as in a house of mourning.—Exchange.

The District of Columbia has a surplus this year of \$2,000,000, which the commissioners wished to hold and have the Federal Government appropriate \$2,000,000 for its improvements.

Under the terms of the Johnson provision the District will be compelled to expend its hoarded \$2,000,000 on public works and the Federal Government will be \$2,000,000 "to the good."

The Johnson measure provides that hereafter Congress shall give the District of Columbia only such sums as he thinks it should have.

Mr. Johnson has worked persistently for five years in his effort to have the time-honored half-and-half provision repealed, and because of his activity in this matter he has often been severely criticised by the Washington papers. His colleagues congratulated him today on his success in piloting the measure through the house.

#### Bradley Wilson Will Speak in Cloverport

Bradley Wilson, of Owensboro, will address the farmers of this vicinity on the tobacco situation on Saturday, January 2, 1915, in the American theatre, in regard to opening the tobacco market in this city and opening up a house here where the farmers can have their tobacco graded to their own satisfaction. Mr. Wilson says buyers from Louisville, Owensboro and Henderson have already promised to be on hand sale days.

Cloverport has better facilities for handling tobacco than any place between Louisville and Owensboro.

The merchants and citizens are already backing up the proposition with their money and assistance.

#### THEATER PARTY AND DINNER

Given Last Night By the Young  
Society Men of This City.

The most interesting social event of the Christmas holidays was the theater party and dinner given last night by the young society men of this city in compliment to the members of the Friday Club. After seeing the moving pictures at the American, an elaborate five-course dinner was served at Gibson's. Twenty-four guests were seated at six tables, which were attractively arranged with floral centerpieces and brilliant place cards. Those invited were:

Miss Martha Miller.  
Miss Susette Sawyer.  
Miss Mildred Babbage.  
Miss Jeannette Burns.  
Miss Eloise Nolte.  
Miss Martha Willis.  
Miss Lenora McGavock.  
Miss Virginia McGavock.  
Miss Francis Sawyer.  
Miss Margaret Puckett.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Randall.  
Mr. Leonard Gregory.  
Mr. Andrew Ashby.  
Mr. Sterrett Ashby.  
Mr. Mike Tucker.  
Mr. Randall Weatherholt.  
Mr. Frank Plank.  
Mr. Fred Pierce.  
Mr. Mario Denton.  
Out of town guests:  
Miss Mildred Steele.  
Mr. Don Lyddan.  
Mr. Eddison Gibson.  
Mr. June Lawson.

#### Accidents of Last Week

Miss Maud Barry fell Christmas eve and broke her right arm.

Mrs. Jennie Newsom fell Monday a week ago and suffered a severe sprain in her left arm.

Mrs. J. Byrne Severs received a message Christmas eve that her father, W. G. Barrett, of Louisville, was ill from a fall.

If you don't do your best it's foolish to try to convince people that you could have done better.—Detroit Free Press.

If your honest judgment tells you that your competitor is doing better advertising than you or if you see him gaining sales, it's no time to delay your advertising.

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Just as you would engage the best legal talent if you were face-to-face with a law-suit which would jeopardise your business.

### SCHOOL EXHIBIT

Held at Irvington—Much Interest Displayed In Educational Progress In The Railroad Terminal

The teachers of the Irvington Graded and High school gave an exhibit of manual work and test papers, which was visited by large numbers of interested parents and many good citizens, who were glad to see some returns for their tax investment, also by some members of the school board.

The exhibits represented the efforts of pupils of all grades and most of it was accomplished without interruption of the regular routine.

The woodwork was exceptionally good when it is considered that the work was accomplished without any equipment save those tools the boys could "beg, borrow or steal."

The Israelites did not find it easy to make bricks without straw. The relief maps were well executed as were the maps showing the varied products of different sections of the country.

Much credit is due Mrs. Kirk and the teachers in the primary grades for the excellent work in decorated book covers, calendars and drawings. Especially notable was a historical scene, worked out in paper figures, representing the landing of Columbus. A miniature ax, wedge and maul carved in wood, some exceedingly dainty bits of sewing; a two-room doll house and two excellent fruit water colors.

The test papers on various subjects in different grades were highly creditable.

An interesting exhibit is not all that is represented by this work. It stands for increased interest on the part of the pupils, the development of a wholesome school spirit and gives a showing as to the connection between school work and future life work.

Such handicraft develops fingers and brain dexterity, accuracy, the habit of close observation, attention to detail in working out plans, all of which contribute to efficiency in any line of work, be it domestic or quite otherwise.

Latent talents are discovered, which often help the boy or girl to decide whether they need a round or a square hole in which to work out their lines. The work deserves the closest attention of the school public, for the encouragement of both pupils and teachers.

There is a crying need for equipment of various kinds for manual work, domestic science and for sports.

Interested teachers and parents working in harmony will soon bring many things to pass.

#### Holiday Party Last Night

Mrs. J. H. Rowland gave a holiday party to the junior students of her music class last night. They were given a theater party at the American. The guests included: Elizabeth Furrow, Carrie May Jackson, Paul Edward Berry, Irene Penner, Mildred Morrison, Leonard Weatherholt, Francis Emmett Gregory, Louise and Eva May McCracken.

#### Dr. White and Stanley Suddarth Bitten By a Dog.

Dr. David White was bitten in the hand three times last Sunday by his dog, which he supposed to be mad.

He killed the dog and on Monday took its head to Indianapolis to have it examined. It was found to contain numerous hydrophobia bacteria. The doctor was given a treatment, and medicine will be sent him to continue to take.

Stanley Suddarth, a son of Commodore Suddarth, was also bitten by the dog and was taken to Indianapolis Wednesday for treatment. Several dogs of the neighborhood were bitten by the dog before anything was known to be wrong with it.

#### Christmas Party.

Miss Lula Severs gave a Christmas party Thursday afternoon in compli-

ment to her musical students. Little gifts and greetings of the season were given each one. The dining room was attractively arranged. Refreshments were served from the table, the centerpiece being a little Christmas tree. The guests were: May Dee Chapin, Elizabeth Bishopp, Pearl Louise Boyd, Cecil and Eva Jolly, Lillian Polk, Maud Barry, Jane Lightfoot, Mary Owen Oelze, Chloa Mae Seaton, Mary and Christine Kile, Alyce Frank, Mrs. Baucum, Hugh Barrett Severs and Ernest Lee Goffin, of Tobinsport, Ind.

#### Scores Another Victory

Representative Ben Johnson, chairman of the Committee on the District of Columbia, scored another legislative victory today when his provision doing away with the half-and-half plan of defraying the expenses of the district was adopted by the house by a vote of 187 to 100. Soon after this vote was taken the bill was passed and sent over to the senate.



James A. Allen,  
35 Wall St., New York

My Dear Mr. Babbage: I have received the copy of The Breckenridge News which you were so thoughtful as to send me concerning an article about

myself. I thank you for this manifestation of your interest in my achievements. It seemed good to see The News again.

With best wishes for The News, I am,  
JAMES A. ALLEN.

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